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Dear Examiner:

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.116**

In response to the Office action of September 30, 2004, the Applicant [the Applicants (or collectively "the Applicant")] submits the following amendments and remarks.

- 1.) Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
- 2.) Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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